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RESPONSE TO REQUIREMENT FOR RESTRICTION
UNDER 35 U.S.C. §121

Commissioner for Patents
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Dear Sir:

Responsive to the Office Action dated December 30, 2004, issued in connection with the above-identified Application, having a due date for response extended by one (1) month so as to expire February 28, 2005, please consider the following remarks.